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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE

SUBJECT: American Embassy Support to FBIS Cairo

The Director of Central Intelligence desires to convey to the Secretary of State his appreciation for Cairo Embassy letter 369 of 13 April 1949 concerning the removal of the Cairo Foreign Broadcast Information Service station to Cyprus, and wishes at the same time to express this Agency's gratitude for the cooperation and vigorous support accorded the Cairo monitoring activity throughout by Mr. Patterson and the Embassy staff, both in administrative routine and in recurrently critical relations with the Government of Egypt. FBIS Cyprus remains in close touch with the Cairo Embassy, and will continue every effort to fill its needs for broadcast information.

signed & dispatched
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